

WILLIMANTIC

NORWICH BULLETIN
WILLIMANTIC OFFICE
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Went to College on Tuesday.

St. John's Episcopalian Society meets at 27 Valley street.

Willimantic Women's Club meets at 283 Main street (afternoon).

Willimantic Rotary club meets at noon.

Visit Rehoboth Lodge, No. 27, I. O. O. F. meets at 297 Main street.

The campaign throughout the New England states by committees of French-speaking people to raise \$500,000 to build and equip the College of St. Charles of the Sacred Heart, at Woonsocket, R. I., was well under way Monday, having got a good start when \$100,000 was voted at the New England Council section of the Federated French-Canadian Catholics at Manchester, N. H. The local quota is set at \$2,000 and a meeting of the executive committee is to be held at St. Mary's hall, Wednesday evening, at which time announcements will be made of the amounting each team has taken in. Indications are that Willimantic's quota of \$2,000 will be more than doubled, before the end of the campaign, which is to last through June. Hornsblom, Dion, director of the local drive. The executive committee comprises members of societies of St. Mary's church as follows: President, Alexis Caisse; first vice president, Joseph Lefebvre; secretary, Emil Desrochers; assistant secretary, Miss Alexis Rousseau; treasurer, Raymond Bessie.

Jack Murphy of Haverhill, known as Darr-Devil Murphy, who was drowned Sunday at Salisbury Beach, N. H., when he dropped into the ocean while making a parachute drop from an airplane, was well known in Willimantic. His act was the feature of the city's quota fair, held here last September.

A meeting of the W. B. A. of the Macabees was held Monday evening. State

Members of the World Wide Guild were held Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock from her late home, No. 63 Leavitt avenue, in the solemn requiem which was at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock. Rev. John E. Clark was celebrant. Rev. J. J. Tyler, deacon, and Rev. Charles M. Kelly, sub-deacon. There was a large attendance at the mass. The flowers were beautiful. Mrs. A. W. Turner was at the organ and played Chopin's funeral march as the body was borne to the church. At the offertory, Mrs. Henry J. Mathew sang "O Salutaris" and for a waiting hymn, "Teuilem" of St. Francis. The hymns were "Somebody" and "The Heavens Declare the Glory of the Lord." George Timmins, George O'Brien, and John Moran, funeral directors, were in charge of the burial.

William Timmins of No. 112 West Main street was arrested Monday night about 5:30 o'clock on a charge of theft. The arrest followed the appearance in this city of a stolen bicycle of the New Haven road, Lieutenant Frank M. Lewis of the Southern Division of the Central Vermont railroad. Accompanied by Chief of Police Killourey, Timmins visited Timmins' home and placed him under arrest. A search of the house resulted in the finding of a quantity of goods believed to have been stolen from the Timmins' home. A quantity of soap and several blankets, brought into freight cars in this city have been gone on since the first few months and Timmins' arrest came after the officers had followed up their clues. During the series of breaches many blankets valued at about \$1.10 each have been stolen, and a quantity of clothes have also been missed. Timmins will be in the city court this (Tuesday) morning.

John Hamilton King, son of former Attorney-General William A. King of this city, has been awarded the second of the Lucien F. Robinson prizes in the Whomore competition at Yale University for special proficiency in class work in Latin. He is a graduate of Windham High school.

Rev. A. W. Clifford, pastor of the Windham Center Congregational church, left Monday for Boston for a week's stay with John Buck, brother of Mrs. L. C. Albino in Elliptic recently.

Members of the local telephone exchange enjoyed a social and dance Monday night at the Y. M. C. A. Following the dance refreshments were served.

Poets, like hens, are continually chanting their lays, but the Thanksgiving turkey has no chance.

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COLCHESTER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Strong, Mrs. Katie Talbot and William Johnson moved to Norwich Saturday.

Ronald Field returned Friday to his home in New London.

Mrs. Edwin E. Cragin of New York has arrived at her summer home on Broadway for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald G. Brown are at their summer home on Broadway for a few days, getting ready for their coming for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Davis arrived Friday at their summer home on Leavitt avenue. Mr. Davis is chauffeur for Mrs. E. B. Cragin.

Barle Porter of New Haven was at his home on Pleasant street over Sunday.

The new timetable for the railroad is out, and the only change on the Air Line is that the Sunday afternoon train now runs into Colchester, arriving at 4:23 o'clock. A good sized crowd went out on the train for their week in nearby cities after spending the week end at their homes here.

Charles Daniels was a caller in Amston Sunday.

Walter White of New Haven was the guest of his brother Leo on Hayward avenue over Sunday.

John Nelson was in Willimantic the past few days to see his father, who is seriously ill at St. Joseph's hospital.

L. Krause of East Hartford was the guest of friends in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Bailey and Mrs. E. B. Baker motored to Saybrook Sunday.

John Carrier of Westchester was a week end caller in town.

Harold Kerr of Marlboro was in town Sunday.

STAFFORD SPRINGS

The body of John Joseph Squires was brought here from Willimantic Sunday afternoon for burial in St. Edward's cemetery. Mr. Squires was a soldier and saw a good deal of service in the world war. He died while in the service in August, 1918, having contracted bronchial pneumonia. He was a native of Stafford Springs and spent his boyhood here. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Squires, the former having conducted a barrel shop on Main street for several years.

The Italian band gave a very interesting and entertaining concert in Hyde Park Sunday evening.

Superintendent Hardy has already received several applications for the submaster appointment at the Stafford High school.

WESTMINSTER

Mrs. Kent, the popular teacher of Raymond district, had a generous and well-attended Maybush luncheon for her 24th of May. The large crowd had great fun in being caught. A very delightful evening was spent with games, stories and refreshments.

Mrs. Ida Shorter has returned from visiting in New York and Brooklyn.

Edwin P. St. John has had a stone placed in Backus cemetery in memory of his wife.

Mrs. Jack Silverman, Mrs. Leah Lee, Bernice Rosenwald and Clifford Shedd, all of New York, attended the party and dance in the hall in honor of the birth of John Joseph Squires.

His birthday was May 20, and his celebration began with the dance on Saturday night, concluding Monday afternoon when the guests departed on their return to New York.

Mrs. Dorothy Schroeder, who has been visiting in the city, returned to her home in Jersey City, last Monday.

Miss Greenbaum and Miss Mintsky, of New York, were in town over Sunday.

Miss Hartley and John Webb, were Memorial day guests from New York at the home of William Johnson.

A party was held at the home of Mrs. John Smith, to celebrate Mrs. Johnson's birth, with the good time always found there.

Miss Clarence D. Smith, formerly of Backside farm, now of Norwich, has gone to a sanatorium in Providence, R. I., for a recuperative operation.

Bagster Kime, of Norwich, is visiting A. T. MacLeod, and his boys, Mr. MacLeod, taking the opportunity to go to Mt. Kisco, N. Y.

RAWSON

Lawrence Rogers of Gilead has been spending several days with friends in town.

Miss Sadie Fitzgerald of Willimantic and Miss Anna Fitzgerald of Clark's Corner spent the holiday at their home here.

Mrs. James Glen is ill.

Edward Fitzgerald has a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker and son of Abington were at I. W. Hammond's over Memorial day.

Mr. White of North Windham worked second week at the station on Sunday night, the 25th, as Mrs. Covert and her daughter were out of town.

Miss Martha Hammond called on Mrs. L. C. Albino in Elliptic recently.

A number from here attended the Community day exercises in Hampton Monday.

George Brown spent the holiday in Norwich and Willimantic.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Baker attended the dance in Abington Saturday night.

Ralph Colvin was in Willimantic Tuesday.

WAUREGAN

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coppenworth and family of Watertown, Conn., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Avery spent the week end in Quincy, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Westcott spent Sunday, the 25th, with Mrs. Lilla Smith, in Danielson.

Mrs. Lucian Dawley has the mumps.

J. F. Smith entertained J. Hawley of Worcester, Mass., W. Dudley and Miss Thelma Dudley, of Providence, R. I., over Memorial day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bethel and family visited over the week end with relatives in Worcester, Mass.

A. W. Gray with relatives, spent Memorial day in Windham, guests of Mrs. E. Peggum.

JEWETT CITY

Pete Rondeau and Joe Konevinski were brought before Judge F. E. Ryan in the town court Monday morning.

Rondeau was found guilty of assault upon Officer Dolan and Albino, while in the performance of their duty. He was given a jail sentence of 30 days. Rondeau appealed. Clarence Kahn went on his bond for \$200. Konevinski was fined \$100 and costs for keeping liquor with intent to sell and 50 cents for reputation. He appealed. Bonds were furnished by Macky Osga.

Decca club concert, tonight, Pina Opera House—adv.

E. A. Faust, J. H. Tracy, James Blair, and R. J. Ghy were in Hartford Saturday attending a Shriners' celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Burdick, Miss Delight Ranbeau of Woonsocket were guests Sunday at Mr. M. A. Burdick's.

Over the La Plume Post Auxiliary has not been entirely organized, but the charter has been received and a meeting is to be held Thursday evening, which it is expected will be attended by everyone who desires to become a member. Membership consists of the mothers, wives and sisters of the men.

Mrs. Clara Gagne, 55, wife of Severa Gagne, died at her home in Volunturn late Sunday night. She was born in Canada. She leaves her husband and son, Donna, also a sister, Mrs. Anna Dupont and a brother, Joseph Dupont of Volunturn.

A rare tree in this section is in full bloom and blossom, but cotton batting might be the cause at the home of Frank Stetson. It is a species of cottonwood, also called necklace poplar. Once a year the tree is covered in these cotton pods. In the south the cotton is used to fill mattresses. There were several of these trees on the Aspinook grounds but they have died; the tree at Mr. Stetson's was a branch planted from one of these trees. In the south they are frequent along rivers and are often planted for ornament.

Information was given by E. E. Burleson, who investigated the origin of the tree for Mr. Stetson.

GALES FERRY

Rev. G. H. Wright spoke in the M. E. church Sunday morning from Psalms 108:15, the theme being Truth. At the offering a debt, I shall not want, was sung by Miss Gertrude Allen, alto, and D. H. Pevey, tenor.

At the Sunday school session, the following were present: Miss Gertrude Allen, alto, and D. H. Pevey, tenor.

The Epworth League evening service was conducted by Rev. J. W. Carter, leader of the Junior League. With an arranged program for the Juniors, who occupied some social space with a short service with Master David Carter, at the piano, there was reading by Harry Allen; solo, Miss Gertrude Allen; singing, "At the Feet of Jesus," by Harry Birch; reading, "The Voice of the Junior League," Miss Mary Birch; piano, Edith Fabel, Rev. Mr. Carter continued the service, speaking from the theme, "The Church and the World."

Rev. G. H. Wright is attending the Norwich District Ministerial Association meeting at the home of his father, Monday and today (Tuesday).

The Yale and Harvard crews arrived at their quarters Sunday. The Yale crew were seen on the river, carrying their shells from the cars to the boat house on the Thames river.

Albert Stoddard of the steamship Mexico, in addition to the crew, came after a three months' trip to the Pacific coast, and the Hawaiian Islands. The steamship's cargo was sugar. Mr. Stoddard is visiting at the home of his father, James A. Stoddard at Stoddard's Wharf.

Miss Lillian Dawson of Norwich entertained a house party at the summer home of the family, The Pines-on-the-Bluff, for the week-end and Sunday. Her guests were Misses Barbara Smith, Edith Curtis, Mary Rose and Marion Briggs, all of Norwich.

Noyes B. Allen received the past week from his cousin, Mrs. Julia Allen, a box of oranges and lemons with Japanese oranges, grown in her grove, at Ontario, California. The lemons are three times the size of any at the fruit stores here. The Japanese oranges were about the size of a yellow plum tomato and pleasant to the taste.

Mr. Carter, welfare officer at the submarine base, officiated at the M. E. church at Norwich Town Sunday morning, supplying for the pastor, Rev. E. B. Aldrich.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nevers, her daughter, Miss Jane Nevers, and sons, Wilbur and Jackson, with Miss Dighton, all of Weymouth, formerly of New Bedford, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wright, motored here on Sunday. They were guests at the parsonage of the M. E. church at Norwich.

Recent callers at the home of Noyes B. Allen were Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Rockwell and daughter, Miss Gladys of New London, and Mrs. Harry C. Allen of Mystic.

The marriage of Miss Annie E. Baldwin of the Foxboro, and Edward and George E. Moore of Haddam, was celebrated Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the parsonage, Rev. G. H. Wright officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Moore are to make their home in Haddam.

Mrs. Delphine Fish returned Saturday after three weeks' visit, with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Horace H. Sears, at Hastings on the Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin of Meriden, and his son, J. Russell Holmes, who arrived recently from their home in Glasgow, Scotland, motored here, Sunday to the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Martin. Mr. Martin returned to Meriden with his nephew, that evening while Mrs. Martin remained. The cottage with her brother, Mr. Holmes and his son, are visiting America, for the first time, and will travel in Canada also.

Miss Hortense Fish of Pequonnock was the week-end guest of local relatives.

Mrs. Lucy A. Harbitt, who has been spending some time at the home of her brother, Rowland, in Peabody, in New London, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorneal Brunn and family of Groton, motored here and were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew P. Miller. Mr. Miller's brother from Boston was a recent guest there.

Nathan A. Gibbs left Saturday to join Mrs. Gibbs and their daughter, Miss Gibbs, who have been spending some days with relatives at New Bedford and East Wareham, Mass.

Pupils perfect in attendance at the village school, for May were Harry Allen, Robert Allen, Em-Beth Bennett, Dorothy Birch, David Carter, Ethel May and Betsy Berrian. Gordon Manierre was perfect in attendance for April; her name was omitted from the list of meritorious pupils.

The committee appointed to select a site for the proposed new schoolhouse in the Gales Ferry district, Miss Alice Satterlee, chairman, J. Edmund Norman and Miss Adeline Pevey, held a meeting Friday evening.

Rev. Allen Shaw Bush of the village conducted services at the Baptist church at Quaker Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Sullivan of Norwich, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Comstock and their daughter, Mrs. Mary C. Watrous.

Rev. and Mrs. Allen Shaw Bush attended the ordination services for Channoy Pinaud Hulbert, at Groton Congregational church Friday evening.

WINDHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woodworth of Westport were at H. C. Lathrop's over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McGuire, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Guild and Miss Harriet Guild motored to Andover, Mass., Friday to attend commencement exercises at Andover academy, Miss Julia Guild being a member of the graduating class.

Miss Mary Tracy of Wareham has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Lathrop, at Andover, Mass. Other guests at her sister's over Sunday were Mrs. George Little and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Little and daughter Virginia of Hartford.

Miss D. C. Krumpholtz of Andover, Mass., is visiting at the home of her father, Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Parsons of Boston are at the inn for a few days.

Mrs. J. Allen, Weir and Miss Dorothy Weir of New York arrived at their summer home here Saturday.

Rev. A. W. Clifford is spending the week in Boston. Rev. W. M. Brown will be in town for a few days.

Miss Julia Guild is the new president of the G. E. society to serve six months from July 1st. Miss Polly Dixie is the vice president.

Miss Joseph E. Cobb of South Windham was in charge of the services at the Congregational church Sunday, as Rev. A. W. Clifford was unable to preach on account of illness.

The C. E. meeting next Sunday evening will be held by William Hinckley.

The town is to be canvassed for subscription to assist the South Windham branch church in purchasing an automobile for the pastor's use.

Miss Emily Lyman and Miss Ellen Lyman left home at Dr. Gibbs' over Sunday in the absence of the family.

The Misses Neale have returned from a visit in Rhode Island.

Speaker E. W. Hartford of the house of representatives has spent the week ends at the home of his mother and sister here during the session. Speaker Hartford has entertained many of his friends at dinner, among them being Governor Lusk, Lieutenant Governor Tompkins